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## STOWE

Plans Nearly Complete for Winter Carnival Feb. 6-11.

The general committee of the Civic club having charge of the winter carnival has planned the events the week of Feb. 6 to 11. Wednesday, the 8th, will be the big day, when expert ski jumpers are expected. A prize of \$100 is being offered to the winner. A prize cup will be given to any college team winning in the ski jumping contest, open to colleges. On Wednesday and Thursday evenings a minstrel show will be given at the auditorium. Other evening entertainments are being planned. Thursday has been designated as grange day. Grangers from the surrounding towns will be in attendance. Friday will be mountain day, with a trip planned to the top of Mt. Mansfield, as well as several shorter trips. Saturday will be high school day, with contests between the high schools of the nearby towns, for which suitable prizes will be offered. Committees have been appointed to have charge of the various sports. Preparations are now in progress for building an ice palace at the foot of Skibogon hill. The ski jump, toboggan chute and skating rink will be open all the week. Any correspondence may be addressed to H. C. McMahon, chairman of the advertising committee.

There was a slight rise in temperature here Friday morning, the mercury standing from 16 to 25 below zero and 10 about at noon. The continued cold has made much trouble with freezing pipes, keeping the plumbers busy.

E. G. Stafford is able to be out after a hard cold, which confined him to the house.

There were 16 present at the meeting of the Lend-a-Hand Community club with Mrs. J. B. McKinley Thursday afternoon.

The West Branch Community club met with Mrs. Angus L. Gale Thursday afternoon.

R. R. McMahon and Gordon Bull are spending a few days in Boston.

Miss Mildred Smith writes from

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## TO-DAY

Here's a splendid drama,  
**Katherine MacDonald**  
As the girl whose lot is a little in

**Her Social Value**  
A drama of the want ads, and the society page

**"FIGHTING FATE"**  
**"STARS and STRIPES"**

## TO-MORROW

**Deloras Cassinelli**  
in  
**Anne of Little Smoky**  
A drama of mountain folk, primal passions, and arrow speed action.

**KINOGRAM**  
**CENTURY COMEDY**

## WATERBURY

Curtis E. Brassard Was a "Guest" Here Recently.

The Curtis E. Brassard whom the papers featured yesterday morning on his plea of being without work for weeks and walking into the police station at Rutland, has the same name, answers the same description and is without doubt the same party that left here Monday. He had been employed filling the ice house, came to the home of Walter Irish a week ago Wednesday and asked if he might board there. Sunday he went to the farm of Philip Shonko and hired out, Mr. Shonko giving him the wages for which he asked. He had his supper, lodging and breakfast there and Monday morning went to the village on the claim of buying some clothes and did not return. It is certainly that there was not any occasion of this man being "jobless." While a patient here at the Vermont state hospital, he helped on the Duxbury farm and so was acquainted with the family of Mr. Irish. That he must have called his stay a visit was assumed from the fact that he went away without offering to pay board. When he came to the Irish home he said he had come from New Hampshire.

The annual meeting of the Waterbury board of trade will be held at the Green Mountain house Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, at 7 o'clock. The banquet will be served at 7 o'clock and immediately after the banquet will be held the annual election of officers. The speakers of the evening will be Prof. K. R. B. Flint of Norwich university, H. J. M. Jones of Montpelier and Laurence Kelly, secretary of the Associated Industries of Vermont.

At St. Andrew's church to-morrow, the pastor, Rev. Robert Devoy, will celebrate mass at 8:30 and mass at St. Patrick's church at 11 o'clock. The Knights of Columbus will receive holy communion in a body at 8:30.

At the Wesley Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. George H. Locke, pastor, there will be the usual service at the regular hours. Children's vested choir at the morning service. In the evening, "Crowning a King." In the evening, illustrated address on "Hinduism." Excellent views of life in India, with an unusual set on the Taj Mahal, the masterpiece of architectural beauty.

The Community club dancing classes will start next Tuesday, Jan. 31, and continue each Tuesday for 10 weeks, closing with a public exhibition for the benefit of the Community club. Miss Marjorie Avery of Richmond is the teacher. There will be two classes, a juvenile class in the afternoon from 4 until 6, for all children from four to twelve, and an evening class, which is primarily designed for the high school and junior high school, but is open to all. Those desiring to enter should communicate with Mrs. J. T. Smith or Mrs. Wallace Greene.

A brisk chimney fire at Dean Griffith's caused quite a little excitement on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Robinson is ill with diphtheria at her sister's, Mrs. Dean Griffith's.

Some who are having mumps are Frances Seeley, Marguerite and Mark Seaver, Frank Joslin and P. B. Joslin. Fred Daniels is sawing the woodpile at the Congregational church.

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Remember the services at the Center next Sunday, Jan. 29, Sunday school at 2 o'clock and preaching at 3 o'clock by Rev. Charles St. John of Montpelier.

The new horsebarn at the Center will soon be built, as nearly enough money has been raised to build them and much of the work will be given.

Fourteen men and four two-horse teams have been at work nearly three days this week, putting in the supply of ice at the creamery.

A party of Spaulding high school students from Barre came over last Friday night and had a good time in their own way at east village hall.

John Willard goes to New York the first of next week to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific railroad.

Mrs. Philip Bean was ill part of last week. Her little son, whose arm was badly injured recently by a fall, is now doing well with his arm in a cast.

A very delightful afternoon was spent Thursday with Mrs. L. P. Young and the ladies of the farm bureau.

Miss Potter, state leader, Miss Boice, county leader, and Miss Johnson, leader of the girls' club. There were several demonstrations that were sampled by the goodly number of ladies present and were all called very good indeed. A talk by Miss Potter on serving food, table setting, etc., was interesting. All were pleased with the meeting.

**WASHINGTON**  
Mrs. M. W. Chamberlin is ill. Miss Hazel Downing is suffering with erysipelas in her face.

Next Sunday is to be observed as young people's day in the Universalist church in Washington. The pastor, Rev. C. A. Simmons, will preach an appropriate sermon. All are cordially invited to this service. Sunday school at noon.

## SOUTH RYEGATE

Word has been received from New Concord, O., of the serious illness of Rev. F. A. Collins, a former pastor of the U. P. church in this place. He was taken to Zanesville, O., for an operation for appendicitis a week ago. An intestinal abscess was found and his condition is serious, yet favorable at the present time.

Robert McKenzie went to Manchester, N. H., Monday in search of employment, the granite business here being at a standstill on account of the deadlock between manufacturers and the union.

Mrs. A. T. Beaton, sr., substituted in the primary room of the school three days this week, Mrs. Lincoln being quarantined at her boarding place.

Charles R. Grant came home from the boys' conference at Barre a week ago Monday, ill with what was diagnosed as scarlet fever. It is thought he contracted it during a trip he made with the basketball team of Wells River high school the week before. No other cases have developed so far.

G. F. Rabaoli was in St. Johnsbury Saturday to have an X-ray photograph made of his hip which had taken the reins. They came down the hill at top speed but at the foot were halted by a telephone pole near L. E. Whitehill's with no damage done to the horses. The milk cans were upset and the sled injured somewhat.

Mrs. W. F. Smith and son, Gordon, are spending a few weeks with their mother, Mrs. J. G. Lord, at North Thetford.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George K. McDonald at the Fitch sanatorium, St. Johnsbury, Thursday, but the infant lived only twenty-four hours.

Gust Berg of Barre is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. F. Rabaoli.

Rev. J. S. Garvin has been in Topsham this week conducting a series of special meetings.

Local thermometers registered 48 degrees below zero Tuesday morning.

**RANDOLPH**  
Bertha Wires Thompson, who has been here since the death of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Hayward, left on Friday for her home in Swampscott, expecting that she might make an arrangement to return here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Booth drove to Warren on Tuesday and the same evening installed the officers of the Rebeccah lodge at that place.

Rev. Fraser Metzger was in Northfield on Tuesday night, where he spoke before the Men's club.

The American Legion Auxiliary held a food, candy and apron sale at the parish house last Friday, from which they realized \$34.

Miss Greta Johnson has completed her course of study at the Burditt business college in Boston and is now at home with her parents for a time before taking a position.

C. A. St. Germaine of Hanover, N. H., has come to have charge of the plumbing and heating department of the H. J. Vail hardware store for the present.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary White was held at the Catholic church, the body having been brought from Brookfield, where death occurred Tuesday morning. The body was placed in the vault but will be taken to Essex Junction for burial in the spring.

At the annual exhibition of the Capital Poultry association at Montpelier this week, Wright Gifford received the following awards: Speckled Sussex, 1st cock, 1st hen, 2d hen, shape and color on cock and hen; Red Sussex, 1st cock, 1st hen, 1st pullet, shape and color special, cock and hen.

M. F. Preston entered the sanatorium this week for treatment.

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## WELLS RIVER

Kitchen Stove Blew Up—Mrs. Wright Had Narrow Escape.

A kitchen stove belonging to Wright exploded last Tuesday morning, due to the freeing of the pipes connecting same. Pieces of the stove were hurled through the door into the cellar while other parts were imbedded in the wall and in the woodwork. Only just left the stove and gone into another room saved her from serious injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh left Tuesday for Boston, where they will spend several days. Mrs. Marsh will continue to New York, where she will spend several weeks with her mother in Brooklyn.

In a game played in village hall on Thursday evening Woodville lost to White River Junction a poorly and loosely played game by the score of 30 to 15. At no period of the game was Woodville ahead nor were they at any period near enough to be dangerous.

The local boys were unable to work the ball down the hall through the White River defense and if they did they were unable to locate the basket. Yule for White River displayed some pretty basketball, while White River and Hanley both were great on carrying the ball. The only local man who made any attempt to uphold his former reputation was Gibson, who blocked many throws but was unable to get rid of the ball due to the strength of White River and the lack of forward at the right end of the hall when he had the ball. The summary:

Woodville. White River Junction. C. Carlson, 1st. Yule, P. Carlson, 1st. H. Watcher, Taylor, 1st. C. Hanley, Gibson, 1st. C. Steward, Kirk, 1st. Baskets, C. Carlson 4, P. Carlson, Gibson, Yule 6, Hanley 5, White River Junction 3. Scorer, Sullivan, Turner, Clark. Referee, McMeekin. Time, 10-15-15.

**MARSHFIELD**  
The men of the Congregational church gave a dinner Tuesday night, January 24th. In spite of the extremely cold weather a goodly number attended.

The Beacon Lights class of the Congregational Sunday school will hold a Valentine social at the church Tuesday evening, February 14th. All are invited.

The many friends of Miss Anna Barnham, who has been in Burlington since her Christmas, detained by the illness of her aunt, will be glad to learn that she is expected home next week.

A union service will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday, Jan. 29th. Mr. Brodett will preach from the text "Repent and Believe the Gospel."

The ladies of the farm bureau will meet with Mrs. Clara Short Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 31. Miss Boice will be present and plans will be made for future meetings. The ladies of the community are cordially invited to attend this meeting, whether members of the association or not.

Marshfield junior high school will hold an apron and overall dance Thursday, Feb. 2. A fine of five cents will be charged those not dressed according to regulations.—adv.

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## PLAINFIELD

On Jan. 18, the following officers of Winooki council, Jr. O. U. A. M., were installed by Deputy State Councilor A. E. Holt: Junior past councilor, E. B. McDonald; councilor, Earl Bartlett; vice-councilor, Elliott Martin; recording secretary, H. E. Perkins; financial secretary, H. A. Parks; treasurer, Fred Cree; warden, Wilmer Gokey; conductor, A. E. Holt; inside sentinel, Harold Townsend; outside sentinel, Frank Woodcock; chaplain, Ryland Parks; trustee, E. B. McDonald.

On Jan. 23 the following officers of G. O. Farr council, No. 15, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, were installed by Deputy State Councilor Carrie L. Perkins: Councilor, Flora Bailey; associate councilor, Eva Bailey; vice-councilor, Ryland Parks; associate vice-councilor, Della Brown; junior ex-councilor, Carrie L. Perkins; recording secretary, W. E. Perkins; associate recording secretary, Delta Perkins; financial secretary, Myrtle Parks; treasurer, Carrie Perkins; guide, Hazel Lewis; outside guard, Seth Noble; inside guard, Kathryn Kiser; trustee, Earl Bartlett.

Social dance at S. & D. of L. hall, Saturday evening, Jan. 28. All come out for a good time. Admission to dance 50c per couple, refreshments 25c per plate.—adv.

No Hurry.  
"Did you telephone the plumber that the hot-water pipes are leaking?"  
"Yes, my dear."  
"What did he say?"  
"He said he'd put us on his waiting list."—New York Sun.

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## EAST MONTPELIER

(West Side)

Misses Katherine and Marjorie Morse of Montpelier spent the week end at W. E. Davis'.

Robert Sweeney of Montpelier is working for Henry Batchelder.

Several of the farmers are busy cutting their hay.

Henry Batchelder was a business visitor in Barre on Monday.

Mr. Goldman of New York has been installing the Colt Carbine gas lights in the home of Mrs. Lottie Ormsbee.

Rehearsals for a play are in progress, which is to be given at an early date.

Mrs. F. L. Warren, Mrs. E. J. Sparrow and daughter, Helen, of Calais attended the meeting at Mrs. C. E. Anderson's on Thursday, also Mrs. Homer Lane, Mrs. A. J. Mack and Mrs. E. A. Morse of the Horn of the Moon.

The second meeting for the home nursing class was held at Mrs. C. E. Anderson's on Thursday afternoon. Twenty-one ladies were present and enjoyed the very interesting talk and demonstration given by Mrs. Anderson. After the meeting a social hour was spent, during which dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. C. W. Fitch and Mrs. O. L. Slayton. The next meeting, in charge of Miss Boice, home bureau agent, will be at Mrs. O. L. Slayton's Friday at 1 p. m., Feb. 3. Everyone interested in the work is welcome.

E. C. Dunham and family spent Sunday in Calais. Mrs. Ferris of Adamant spent Thursday at Mrs. C. E. Anderson's.

Friends of Ralph Parker are glad to hear that he is gaining. He is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Parker, in Calais.

Herbert Hood left Tuesday for Waterbury.

**NORTH CALAIS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fair of East Calais were visitors at John Fair's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dailey of East Calais were guests at Elwin Dailey's Sunday.

Miss Ethel Smith of East Calais recently visited her sister, Mrs. Estelle Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Slayton of Adamant were visitors at Mrs. S. F. Dailey's over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Burnham of East Calais were visitors at Elwin Dailey's Sunday.

Nelson Smith was a business visitor in Adamant Thursday.

Mrs. Laura Dawson has returned to her home in Woodbury, after spending several months in town.

A. C. Dailey was a caller at Willard Dailey's in East Montpelier Thursday.

Neil Chaffee was in Woodbury on business one day recently.

George Merrill was in Moretown several days recently.

F. W. Hill was in South Woodbury Wednesday.

David Barcomb caught two coons while working in the woods one day recently each weighing 25 pounds.

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